

COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR REGULATING PHAGOCYTOSIS AND  
ICAM-1 EXPRESSION

5 Abstract of the Disclosure

10 This invention provides compositions of matter for  
treating and preventing certain mammalian disorders  
ameliorated by either an increase or decrease in  
phagocytosis or ICAM-1 expression in appropriate cells.  
This invention also provides methods of altering the  
phagocytosis or ICAM-1 expression level in a cell.  
This invention further provides methods of treating and  
preventing mammalian disorders affected by the  
15 alteration of phagocytosis or ICAM-1 expression. The  
instant methods and composition of matter all relate to  
the use of agents that specifically increase or  
decrease phagocytosis or ICAM-1 expression. Finally,  
this invention provides related articles of  
20 manufacture.

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